

**CITY of
SPRINGFIELD**



September 21, 1993

Mr. Harold Wollard
Doctor's Hospital
2828 N. National
Springfield, MO 65803

Re: Local sanitary sewer discharge limits.

Dear Mr. Wollard:

Please find the enclosed copy of Chapter 30, Wastewater Regulations, of the Springfield City Code. The local discharge limits were revised on May 3, 1993. Since the discharge from your hospital flows to the City's Northwest Treatment Plant, I have marked the appropriate pollutant limitations section (30-24(b)) in the enclosed regulations.

Let me again thank you for calling with questions about a proposed discharge from the cleaning of your boiler. I am sorry that we could not help you, but as I stated we did not see how we could accept a discharge of 200 gallons at 1000 ppm Cu. A discharge of this nature could put the City Of Springfield in violation of its NPDES Permit for the Northwest Treatment Plant.

If we can be of any help in the future, please feel to call at 864-1923.

Yours Truly,

Gene Pabst

Water Pollution Control Inspector
Surveillance and Enforcement

CC: Robert R. Schaefer, P.E., Supt. of Sanitary Services
Randy Lyman, Sewer Surveillance & Billing Supervisor

2828 N. National

TELEPHONE LOG SHEET

INDUSTRY NAME Doctor's Hospital
 CONTACT PERSON Jr. or Harold Wollard
 NUMBER CALLED 869-5571 Ext.

4387

DATE 9-21-93
 TIME 9:30 A.M.

PURPOSE FOR CALL

Jr. from Doctor's Hospital, called to see if we could take 200 gallons of Cu At 1000 ppm to the sanitary sewer. Jr. stated that they were working with the Amarian Co. to clean the lines in their boiler. I told Jr. that we could not take it to the sanitary sewer because our North plant limit is 1.89 ppm. I told him to let me do some checking & I would get back with him.

I talked to Randy & Karen about it. Randy figured it would take 160,383 gallons of water to get this down to 1.88 P.P.M. We decided that since they were so far North, & we were scared they would dump it. Also the North plant has had a violation for Cu recently that we should not take it.

I tried to call Jr. back, but he was out so I

CALLERS SIGNATURE

Gene Pabst

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Talked to Harold Wollard. I told him that we could not take it to the sanitary sewer. That we had a discharge limit of .032 ppm. Also, that we have had some Copper violations and we did not think we could take it. Mr. Wollard said that he could understand that & that he would contact the company that they use that handles hauling off their Hazardous Waste.

I thanked him for calling.